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## BRIEF CLASSIFICATION OF LEAF TOBACCO

(Covering classes and types)

### CLASS 1, FLUE-CURED TYPES

- Type 11: Old Belt flue-cured; produced principally in the Piedmont sections of Virginia and North Carolina.
- Type 12: Eastern North Carolina flue-cured; produced principally in the coastal sections of North Carolina, north of the South River.
- Type 13: South Carolina flue-cured; produced principally in the coastal sections of South Carolina and the southeastern counties of North Carolina, south of the South River.
- Type 14: Georgia and Florida flue-cured; produced principally in southern Georgia and northern Florida.

### CLASS 2, FIRE-CURED TYPES

- Type 21: Virginia fire-cured; produced in the Piedmont and mountain sections of Virginia.
- Type 22: Tennessee-Kentucky fire-cured, eastern district, Clarksville, Springfield, and Hopkinsville; produced principally in a section east of the Tennessee River, in southern Kentucky and northern Tennessee.
- Type 23: Kentucky-Tennessee fire-cured, western district, Mayfield, and Murray; produced principally in a section between the Tennessee, Ohio, and Mississippi rivers in western Kentucky and northwestern Tennessee.

### CLASS 3, AIR-CURED TYPES

#### LIGHT AIR-CURED (CLASS 3a)

- Type 31: Burley; produced principally in Kentucky, Tennessee, Ohio, Indiana, West Virginia, Virginia, North Carolina, and Missouri.
- Type 32: Southern Maryland; produced principally in five counties of southern Maryland--Prince Georges, Anne Arundel, Calvert, Charles, and St. Marys.

#### DARK AIR-CURED (CLASS 3b)

- Type 35: One Sucker; produced in north-central Tennessee and south-central Kentucky.
- Type 36: Green River; produced in the northern part of Kentucky in the territory adjacent to Owensboro and Henderson.
- Type 37: Virginia sun-cured; produced principally in central Virginia, north of the James River.

### CLASS 4, CIGAR-FILLER TYPES

- Type 41: Pennsylvania Seedleaf; produced principally in Lancaster County, Pa., and the adjoining counties.
- Type 42-44: Ohio filler; produced principally in the Miami Valley section of Ohio and extending into Indiana.
- Type 46: Puerto Rican sun-grown, including primed (Deshojado) and stalk-cut (Mata); produced on the Island of Puerto Rico

### CLASS 5, CIGAR-BINDER TYPES

- Type 51: Connecticut Broadleaf; produced in the Connecticut Valley sections of Connecticut and Massachusetts.
- Type 52: Connecticut Havana Seed; produced in the Connecticut and Housatonic Valley sections of Connecticut and Massachusetts.
- Type 53: New York and Pennsylvania Havana Seed; produced in the Big Flats and Onondaga sections of New York, and extending into Pennsylvania.
- Type 54: Southern Wisconsin; produced in Wisconsin, south and east of the Wisconsin River.
- Type 55: Northern Wisconsin; produced in Wisconsin, north and west of the Wisconsin River, and in eastern Minnesota.

### CLASS 6, CIGAR-WRAPPER TYPES

- Type 61: Connecticut Shade; produced in the Connecticut Valley sections of Connecticut and Massachusetts.
- Type 62: Georgia and Florida Shade; produced in southwestern Georgia and north-central Florida.

### MISCELLANEOUS TYPES OF DOMESTIC TOBACCO

- Type 72: Louisiana Perique.
- Type 73: All domestic types of tobacco not otherwise classified.

### FOREIGN TYPES

- Type 81: Cuba.
- Type 82: Indonesia.
- Type 83: Philippine Islands.
- Type 84: Brazil.
- Type 85: Colombia.
- Type 86: Dominican Republic.
- Type 87: Paraguay.
- Type 88: Mexico.
- Type 89: All foreign-grown cigar-leaf.
- Type 90: Foreign-grown cigarette and smoking tobacco (Turkish and other).

STOCKS OF LEAF TOBACCO OWNED BY DEALERS AND MANUFACTURERS 1/ 2/

Total stocks of leaf tobacco lower than a year ago.

Leaf tobacco stocks in the United States and Puerto Rico totaled 5,005 million pounds as of April 1, 1969. This is a decline of 307 million pounds compared with the previous April 1 (5,312 million). The 1968 crop was in stocks by April 1, with the exception of Maryland and some Puerto Rican tobacco. About 180 million pounds were marketed during the quarter.

Flue-cured and imported cigarette leaf stocks led the general decline. Fire-cured and cigar filler and binder leaf fell to new lows for any April quarter. Only two domestic types recorded any increase from last year.

Stocks as of April 1, 1969, included 1,245 million pounds (farm-sales-weight) of leaf tobacco under Government loan. This was 20 million pounds higher than a year ago. These loan stocks were divided as follows: flue-cured, 847.4 million pounds; burley, 357.9 million; Maryland, 1.4 million; fire-cured, 20.7 million; dark air-cured, 15.4 million; and cigar leaf, 2.5 million.

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1/ Figures quoted for type totals in this summary are the farm-sales-weight equivalent of reported stocks. (See tables in body of report for reported weight basis.) This report is issued quarterly.

2/ All Government loan stocks are reported by Grower Cooperatives, which are considered dealers for stocks-reporting purposes.

## CIGARETTE-LEAF STOCKS

### All cigarette types lower

Flue-cured stocks totaled 2,388 million pounds on April 1, 1969, a decline of 200 million pounds from inventories a year earlier.

Holdings of burley were reported at 1,606 million pounds, down 20 million pounds from last April. The 1968 crop of 563 million pounds was in stocks by April 1, with approximately 112 million pounds being sold in the first quarter.

Maryland inventories on April 1 were 72.0 million pounds for a decrease of 6.6 million. All Maryland tobacco formerly held under Government loan has been sold but a small amount was still undelivered on April 1. The 1968 crop, estimated at 33.0 million pounds, will be marketed during the April-June period this year.

Stocks of foreign-grown cigarette and smoking tobacco (Turkish and other) totaled 408.2 million pounds -- 51.2 million below last year.

## DARK TOBACCO STOCKS

### Fire-cured lower

### Dark air-cured higher

Fire-cured stocks reported at 106.2 million pounds on this April 1, were 12.5 million below those reported last April. All types showed significant declines. Virginia fire-cured stocks on this reporting date were 14.3 million; Kentucky-Tennessee Eastern District, 75.2 million; and Western District, 16.6 million.

Holdings of dark air-cured, totaling 73.1 million pounds on April 1, 1969 were 2.0 million above last April's total. One-sucker accounted for the entire increase as the other types reported small declines. Inventories on April 1 by types were as follows: One-sucker, 44.9 million pounds; Green River, 23.7 million; and Virginia sun-cured, 4.5 million.



## CIGAR-LEAF STOCKS

### Domestic leaf shows decline Imported leaf gains

Inventories of all domestic-grown cigar tobacco, including Puerto Rican, totaled 254.0 million pounds on April 1, 1969. This was a drop of 27.8 million pounds from stocks reported last April 1. Holdings of foreign-grown cigar leaf were 93.9 million pounds, an increase of 10.8 million pounds from the previous April report.

Holdings of cigar filler types on April 1, 1969, totaled 166.1 million pounds--15.6 million less than the figure reported last year. All types shared in the decline and their inventories this April are as follows: Pennsylvania filler, 122.3 million pounds; Ohio, 13.7 million; and Puerto Rican, 30.2 million.

Cigar binder stocks totaled 61.6 million pounds--a drop of 11.5 million from last April. All types were down. Connecticut Valley Broadleaf stocks were 8.0 million pounds this April; Connecticut Valley Havana Seed, 3.1 million; Southern Wisconsin, 23.5 million; and Northern Wisconsin, 27.1 million pounds.

Shade-grown cigar leaf stocks of 26.3 million pounds were 0.6 million pounds lower than those reported last April. Connecticut stocks were slightly higher, while Georgia-Florida declined. As of April 1, 1969 holdings of Connecticut Valley Shade were 16.0 million pounds; and Georgia-Florida Shade, 10.3 million pounds.

Stocks of Cuban (Havana) leaf, reported at 1.7 million pounds, were down 1.2 million from last year. Philippine Islands (Manila) stocks totaled 42.9 million pounds -- up 16.2 million from a year ago. Stocks of Indonesian leaf were 3.0 million pounds; Brazilian, 8.9 million; Colombian, 7.4 million; Dominican Republic, 14.3 million; Paraguay, 4.2 million; Mexico, 3.4 million; and other foreign-grown, 8.1 million pounds.

## STOCKS OF TOBACCO SHEET (see table 3)

### Stocks represented in tobacco sheet continue to increase

Stocks of leaf represented in inventories of "tobacco sheet" totaled 25.7 million pounds (reported weight) compared with 25.2 million on previous April 1. Of the total in "sheet" this April 1, 23.4 million were for use in cigarettes and smoking tobacco, and 2.3 million for cigar binder and wrapper.

Table 1.--Factors for adjusting stocks reported by dealers and manufacturers to a farm-sales-weight equivalent, by types of tobacco

AUCTION MARKET AREAS (Types 11-37) 1/

Type name	Type number	Factors to multiply by to convert -			
		Stemmed stocks to -		Unstemmed stocks to -	
		Unstemmed equivalent	Farm-sales weight equivalent	Farm-sales-weight equivalent	From packed weight 1/
Flue-cured . . . . .	11-14	1.295	1.450		1.12
Virginia fire-cured . . .	21	1.299	1,598		1.23
Tenn. and Ky. fire-cured .	22-23	1.324	2/ 1.471		1.04
Burley . . . . .	31	1.345	1,506		1.12
Southern Maryland . . . .	32	1.373	1.400		1.02
One Sucker . . . . .	35	1.413	1.554		1.10
Green River . . . . .	36	1.389	1.570		1.13
Virginia sun-cured . . . .	37	1.326	1.538		1.16
Miscellaneous domestic . .	72-73	1.333	1.493		1.12
DOMESTIC-GROWN CIGAR LEAF (Types 41-62)					
			2/	Sweated weight 3/	Marked weight 3/
				Farm-sales weight 3/	Average for April 1, 1969 report 3/
Pennsylvania Seedleaf . .	41	1.444	1.718	1.19	1.05
Ohio . . . . .	42-44	1.454	1.730	1.19	1.05
Puerto Rican . . . . .	46	1.314	1.551	1.18	1.16
Connecticut Broadleaf . .	51	1.375	1.622	1.18	1.04
Connecticut Havana Seed .	52	1.386	1.635	1.18	1.04
Southern Wisconsin . . . .	54	1.383	1.687	1.22	1.06
Northern Wisconsin . . . .	55	1.404	1.713	1.22	1.06
Connecticut Shade . . . .	61	1.245	1.419	1.14	1.10
Ga. and Fla. Shade . . . .	62	1.235	1.408	1.14	1.10
IMPORTED LEAF (Types 81-90)					
Cigar leaf . . . . .	81-89	1.400	1.624		1.16
Cigarette and smoking tobacco . . . . .	90	1.333	1.466		1.10

1/ Types 11-37 are reported on the basis of packed weight.

2/ Farm-sales-weight equivalent based on unstemmed sweated weight factor.

3/ The instructions for reporting unstemmed cigar-leaf of the domestic types require that dealers and manufacturers indicate the weight basis on which the tobacco is reported, namely, farm-sales weight, marked weight, or sweated weight. The stocks are converted to the farm-sales-weight equivalent on the basis of average factors reflecting the percentage reported each quarter in each of these three categories.



Table 2.--Stocks of leaf tobacco owned by dealers and manufacturers, by types, converted to a farm-sales-weight equivalent, April 1, 1969, compared with other quarters 1/

## FARM-SALES WEIGHT

Type name	U.S. type number	April 1,			January 1,	October 1,	July 1,
		1969	1968	1967	1969	1968	1968
		1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Flue-cured	11-14	2,387,964	2,588,334	2,574,347	2,611,821	2,627,902	2,301,535
Virginia fire-cured	21	14,317	16,489	17,861	13,343	11,735	14,462
Tennessee and Kentucky fire-cured (Eastern District)	22	75,244	80,774	84,177	56,923	63,225	71,878
Kentucky and Tennessee fire-cured (Western District)	23	16,596	21,484	25,946	13,734	15,581	18,673
Total Fire-cured	21-23	106,157	118,747	127,984	84,000	90,541	105,013
Burley	31	1,605,726	1,625,801	1,676,788	1,606,885	1,324,105	1,480,082
Southern Maryland	32	71,967	78,560	82,215	81,520	91,981	97,135
Total Light Air-cured	31-32	1,677,693	1,704,361	1,759,003	1,688,405	1,416,086	1,577,217
One Sucker	35	44,878	41,781	44,263	38,411	36,434	39,074
Green River	36	23,672	24,516	26,298	21,815	21,754	23,029
Virginia sun-cured	37	4,535	4,771	5,004	4,341	3,923	4,385
Total Dark Air-cured	35-37	73,085	71,068	75,565	64,567	62,111	66,488
Pennsylvania Seedleaf	41	122,254	129,836	138,280	96,375	108,696	120,025
Ohio Filler (Miami Valley)	42-44	13,674	15,322	18,201	11,417	12,910	14,476
Puerto Rican:							
In United States	46	10,799	13,592	12,956	9,591	10,026	12,142
In Puerto Rico	46	19,360	22,967	37,357	19,957	24,324	26,451
Total Cigar-filler	41-46	166,087	181,717	206,794	137,538	155,956	173,094
Connecticut Valley Broadleaf	51	7,950	11,293	14,335	7,011	8,462	9,506
Connecticut Val	52	3,058	4,229	5,472	2,746	2,751	2,930
Southern Wisconsin	54	23,489	23,515	25,500	18,709	19,869	21,905
Northern Wisconsin	55	27,064	34,020	32,354	24,586	28,907	31,457
Total Cigar-binder	51-55	61,561	73,057	77,661	53,052	59,989	65,798
Connecticut shade	61	16,039	15,862	17,955	17,145	16,267	12,721
Georgia and Florida shade	62	10,310	11,125	9,873	11,147	10,688	10,062
Total Cigar-wrapper	61-62	26,349	26,987	27,828	28,292	26,955	22,783
Perique	72	682	754	871	488	636	706
Other Miscellaneous Domestic 2/	73	3,369	4,059	6,035	3,725	3,841	5,477
Total Miscellaneous Domestic	72-73	4,051	4,813	6,906	4,213	4,477	6,183
Cuba	81	1,664	2,892	4,835	1,997	2,199	2,547
Indonesia	82	3,046	4,995	5,606	3,585	3,766	3,702
Philippine Islands	83	42,896	26,697	33,606	40,022	35,637	36,935
Brazil	84	8,868	10,145	12,851	9,189	9,533	10,200
Colombia	85	7,414	8,883	9,702	9,642	12,128	11,388
Dominican Republic	86	14,299	16,810	11,266	11,263	14,418	19,387
Paraguay	87	4,171	2,266	1,700	3,976	3,250	1,920
Mexico	88	3,453	3/	3/	4,412	4,444	3/
Other foreign-grown cigar-leaf	89	8,087	10,434	11,499	6,862	5,543	11,787
Total Imported Cigar-leaf	81-89	93,898	83,122	91,065	90,948	90,918	97,865
Foreign-grown cigarette and smoking tobacco (Turkish and other)	90	408,160	459,448	392,043	416,477	402,542	441,833
Total all types	11-90	5,005,005	5,311,654	5,339,196	5,179,313	4,937,477	4,857,809

1/ Totals include stocks of leaf reported in tobacco sheet. See separate reporting in table 3.

2/ Type 73 is defined as all domestic types of tobacco not otherwise classified; the bulk of the stocks reported in this type consists of cuttings, clippings, and trimmings. This is the result, in most instances, of the inability of reporters to designate cuttings, clippings, and trimmings in the types to which they properly belong.

3/ Separate reporting of Mexican stocks was not required until October 1968. In previous quarters Mexican totals were included as other foreign-grown cigar-leaf.

Table 3.--Summary of tobacco leaf represented in inventories of tobacco sheet, for cigar binder and wrapper, and for cigarettes (including smoking tobacco), separately

# REPORTED WEIGHT

		Cigar Binder and Wrapper					
U.S. type number		April 1,			January 1,	October 1,	July 1,
		1969	1968	1967	1969	1968	1968
		1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
11-14	: Unstemmed	-	-	-	-	-	-
	: Stemmed	105	17	-	15	17	16
	: Total	105	17	-	15	17	16
32	: Unstemmed	62	39	42	46	63	62
	: Stemmed	254	21	27	159	61	28
	: Total	435	1,111	856	783	754	840
41	: Unstemmed	689	1,132	883	942	815	868
	: Stemmed	53	65	40	30	51	51
	: Total	35	131	80	19	131	106
42-44	: Unstemmed	796	735	642	328	677	586
	: Stemmed	-	150	102	-	150	182
	: Total	796	885	744	328	827	768
46	: Unstemmed	77	115	92	74	68	73
	: Stemmed	25	-	-	28	22	-
	: Total	-	4	4	-	-	1
51	: Unstemmed	25	4	4	28	22	1
	: Stemmed	123	303	299	272	228	250
	: Total	40	81	97	9	52	70
52	: Unstemmed	163	384	396	281	280	320
	: Stemmed	18	15	-	28	20	16
	: Total	61	294	154	105	267	278
54	: Unstemmed	79	309	154	133	287	294
	: Stemmed	14	22	19	23	16	18
	: Total	-	-	-	-	-	-
55	: Unstemmed	2	4	3	3	-	-
	: Stemmed	2	4	3	3	-	-
	: Total	8	7	16	9	7	7
61	: Unstemmed	6	9	-	7	8	7
	: Stemmed	14	16	16	16	15	14
	: Total	16	11	14	18	19	19
62	: Unstemmed	86	82	55	68	102	83
	: Stemmed	102	93	69	86	121	107
	: Total	21	14	-	22	25	22
81	: Unstemmed	21	17	1	22	25	22
	: Stemmed	9	12	16	14	12	11
	: Total	22	17	-	24	27	24
82	: Unstemmed	31	29	16	38	39	35
	: Stemmed	-	-	-	9	-	17
	: Total	23	6	1	5	23	5
83	: Unstemmed	1,326	1,219	1,106	930	1,114	990
	: Stemmed	986	2,063	1,454	1,190	1,711	1,809
	: Total	2,312	3,282	2,560	2,120	2,825	2,799
Cigarettes (including smoking tobacco)							
11-14	: Unstemmed	3,124	321	888	922	1,068	744
	: Stemmed	4,848	9,135	7,554	6,891	7,344	8,091
	: Total	7,972	9,456	8,442	7,813	8,412	8,835
31	: Unstemmed	3,267	1,558	642	1,023	731	1,039
	: Stemmed	2,562	6,544	4,858	4,517	4,342	5,582
	: Total	5,829	8,102	5,500	5,540	5,073	6,621
32	: Unstemmed	980	18	-	1,117	806	343
	: Stemmed	146	185	274	130	162	796
	: Total	1,126	203	274	1,247	968	1,139
41	: Unstemmed	4,760	1,883	1,417	3,751	3,060	2,407
	: Stemmed	159	-	-	-	-	-
	: Total	4,919	1,883	1,417	3,751	3,060	2,407
61	: Unstemmed	-	-	-	-	-	-
	: Stemmed	-	-	-	-	-	-
	: Total	-	-	-	-	-	-
90	: Unstemmed	3,009	1,070	713	1,829	1,253	870
	: Stemmed	511	1,183	926	887	914	470
	: Total	3,520	2,253	1,639	2,716	2,167	1,340
Total	: Unstemmed	15,140	4,850	3,660	8,642	6,918	5,403
	: Stemmed	8,226	17,047	13,612	12,425	12,762	14,939
	: Total	23,366	21,897	17,272	21,067	19,680	20,342
Grand Total							
Total all types	: Unstemmed	16,466	6,069	4,766	9,572	8,032	6,393
	: Stemmed	9,212	19,110	15,066	13,615	14,473	16,748
	: Total	25,678	25,179	19,832	23,187	22,505	23,141

Table 4.--Stocks of leaf tobacco, by types, showing separately quantities owned by dealers and manufacturers, April 1, 1969 compared with April 1, 1968 1/ 2/

# REPORTED WEIGHT

U.S. type number	Reported as owned by manufacturers 3/				Reported as owned by dealers (including loan stocks) 3/			
	April 1, 1969			April 1, 1968	April 1, 1969			April 1, 1968
	Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total		Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total	
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.		1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	
11	8,111	241,182	249,293	285,682	409,140	56,377	465,517	488,292
12	6,938	286,359	293,297	348,297	223,234	49,056	272,290	267,677
13	1,088	208,551	209,639	231,145	144,254	29,271	173,525	163,553
14	607	93,608	94,215	103,689	62,928	13,683	76,611	84,950
11-14	19,869	834,653	854,522 1/	978,289 1/	839,556 1/	148,387	987,943	1,004,472
21	5,269	72	5,341	6,800	5,880	306	6,186	6,596
22	38,948	316	39,264	39,629	32,820	95	32,915	37,829
23	6,425	5	6,430	6,846	9,524	1	9,525	13,811
21-23	50,642	393	51,035	53,275	48,224	402	48,626	58,236
31	27,678	766,491	794,169	833,388	364,715	7,909	372,624	337,788
32	3,733	33,026	36,759	31,870	16,139	3,901	20,040	35,204
31-32	31,411	799,517	830,928	865,258	380,854	11,810	392,664	372,992
35	22,765	5,057	27,822	21,649	10,851	6	10,857	14,395
36	10,999	1,815	12,814	11,942	7,250	128	7,378	8,924
37	2,957	435	3,392	3,629	356	15	371	366
35-37	36,721	7,307	44,028	37,220	18,457	149	18,606	23,685
41	74,097	9,058	83,155	93,878	28,867	972	29,839	27,336
42-44	9,302	259	9,561	11,147	2,248	34	2,282	1,922
46 4/	11,536	6,516	18,052	22,257	5,503	357	5,860	6,794
41-46	94,935	15,833	110,768	127,282	36,618	1,363	37,981	36,052
51	5,010	178	5,188	6,957	2,008	180	2,188	3,286
52	1,138	23	1,161	1,253	1,544	10	1,554	2,439
54	22,014	113	22,127	22,023	733	57	790	971
55	21,395	563	21,958	20,688	3,121	66	3,187	11,351
51-55	49,557	877	50,434	50,921	7,406	313	7,719	18,047
61	10,320	2,215	12,535	11,460	1,608	10	1,618	2,391
62	6,254	1,570	7,824	7,271	879	129	1,008	2,197
61-62	16,574	3,785	20,359	18,731	2,487	139	2,626	4,588
72	15	268	283	338	26	158	164	185
73 5/	-	2,229	2,229	2,252	6	23	29	618
72-73	15	2,497	2,512	2,590	32	181	213	803
81	158	668	826	1,814	292	35	327	164
82	1,138	985	2,123	3,394	86	16	102	735
83	4,943	8,853	13,796	8,950	7,480	8,687	16,167	8,674
84	2,927	2,767	5,694	6,337	389	325	714	1,605
85	2,787	2,139	4,926	6,062	493	83	576	739
86	5,521	4,114	9,635	12,283	865	129	994	1,037
87	-	731	731	349	2,518	39	2,557	1,428
88	1,577	895	2,472	6/	120	19	139	6/
89	2,038	783	2,821	5,918	3,167	479	3,646	2,106
81-89	21,089	21,935	43,024	45,107	15,410	9,812	25,222	16,488
90	365,693	3,160	368,853	414,293	468	512	980	2,347
11-90	686,506	1,689,957	2,376,463	2,592,966	1,349,512	173,068	1,522,580	1,537,710

1/ Total includes stocks of leaf reported in tobacco sheet. See separate reporting in table 3.

2/ These statistics represent the quantity of leaf tobacco reported as owned by all leaf tobacco dealers, manufacturers, quasi-manufacturers, growers' cooperative associations, warehousemen, brokers, holders, and owners subject to provisions of the Tobacco Stocks and Standards Act approved January 14, 1929, and the amendments thereto passed in the 72nd and 74th Congress. The quantities owned by dealers and manufacturers have been tabulated separately on a type total basis.

3/ This table should be considered as representing only the approximate quantities owned respectively by dealers and manufacturers. The quantities shown as owned by manufacturers represents domestic manufacturers only. All Government loan stocks are included as dealer holdings.

4/ Includes stocks on the Island of Puerto Rico.

5/ For explanation of stocks included in this classification see footnote 5 on page 11.

6/ Separate reporting of Mexican stocks (type 88) was not required until October 1968. In previous quarters Mexican totals were included as other foreign-grown leaf.



Table 5.--Stocks of leaf tobacco owned by dealers and manufacturers, summary by types, April 1, 1969, compared with other quarters 1/ 2/

# REPORTED WEIGHT

Type number	U.S. type number	April 1, 1969 3/			April 1, 1968	January 1, 1969	October 1, 1968
		Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total			
		1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Old and Middle Belt flue-cured	11	417,251	297,559	714,810	773,974	772,795	724,032
Eastern North Carolina flue-cured	12	230,172	335,415	565,587	615,976	615,246	629,526
South Carolina flue-cured (including Southeastern N. C.)	13	145,342	237,822	383,164	394,698	419,493	451,810
Georgia and Florida flue-cured	14	63,536	107,291	170,827	188,639	190,148	211,307
Total flue-cured	11-14	859,425	983,040	1,842,465 1/	1,982,761 1/	2,005,510 1/	2,025,104 1/
Virginia fire-cured	21	11,149	378	11,527	13,396	10,738	9,537
Tennessee and Kentucky fire-cured (Eastern District)	22	71,768	411	72,179	77,458	54,508	60,550
Kentucky and Tennessee fire-cured (Western District)	23	15,949	6	15,955	20,657	13,202	14,980
Total fire-cured	21-23	98,866	795	99,661	111,511	78,448	85,067
Burley	31	392,393	774,400	1,166,793	1,171,176	1,185,230	961,336
Southern Maryland	32	19,872	36,927	56,799	67,074	66,743	77,537
Total light air-cured	31-32	412,265	811,327	1,223,592	1,238,250	1,251,973	1,038,873
One Sucker	35	33,616	5,063	38,679	36,044	33,254	31,404
Green River	36	18,249	1,943	20,192	20,866	18,680	18,616
Virginia sun-cured	37	3,313	450	3,763	3,995	3,613	3,278
Total dark air-cured	35-37	55,178	7,456	62,634	60,905	55,547	53,298
Pennsylvania Seedleaf	41	102,964	10,030	112,994	121,214	87,870	99,946
Ohio Filler (Miami Valley)	42-44	11,550	293	11,843	13,069	9,610	10,870
Puerto Rico:							
In United States	46	6,122	2,344	8,466	10,534	7,379	7,753
In Puerto Rico	46	10,917	4,529	15,446	18,517	15,837	19,346
Total cigar-filler	41-46	131,553	17,196	148,749	163,334	120,696	137,915
Connecticut Valley Broadleaf	51	7,018	358	7,376	10,243	6,491	7,646
Connecticut Valley Havana Seed	52	2,682	33	2,715	3,692	2,414	2,418
Southern Wisconsin	54	22,747	170	22,917	22,994	18,231	19,382
Northern Wisconsin	55	24,516	629	25,145	32,039	22,633	26,638
Total cigar-binder	51-55	56,963	1,190	58,153	68,968	49,769	56,084
Connecticut shade	61	11,928	2,225	14,153	13,851	15,586	14,590
Georgia and Florida shade	62	7,133	1,699	8,832	9,468	9,501	9,156
Total cigar-wrapper	61-62	19,061	3,924	22,985	23,319	25,087	23,746
Perique	72	41	426	467	523	334	440
Other Miscellaneous domestic 4/	73	6	2,252	2,258	2,870	2,496	2,578
	72-73	47	2,678	2,725	3,393	2,830	3,018
Cuba	81	450	703	1,153	1,978	1,352	1,478
Indonesia	82	1,224	1,001	2,225	4,129	2,780	3,036
Philippine Islands	83	12,423	17,540	29,963	17,624	27,353	24,924
Brazil	84	3,316	3,092	6,408	7,942	6,864	7,174
Colombia	85	3,280	2,222	5,502	6,801	7,356	9,307
Dominican Republic	86	6,386	4,243	10,629	13,320	8,085	10,720
Paraguay	87	2,518	770	3,288	1,777	3,185	2,625
Mexico	88	1,697	914	2,611	5/	3,387	3,358
Other foreign-grown cigar-leaf	89	5,205	1,262	6,467	8,024	5,389	4,255
Total foreign-grown cigar-leaf	81-89	36,499	31,747	68,246	61,595	65,751	66,876
Foreign-grown cigarette and smoking tobacco (Turkish and other)	90	366,161	3,672	369,833	416,640	377,468	364,980
Total all types	11-90	2,036,018	1,863,025	3,899,043	4,130,676	4,033,079	3,854,961

1/ Totals include stocks of leaf reported in tobacco sheet. See separate reporting in table 3.

2/ These statistics represent the quantity of leaf tobacco reported as owned by all leaf tobacco dealers, manufacturers, quasi-manufacturers, growers' cooperative associations, warehousemen, brokers, holders, and owners except (a) the original growers of tobacco; (b) manufacturers who in the first three quarters of 1968, according to the returns of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, manufactured less than 35,000 pounds of tobacco, less than 185,000 cigars, or less than 750,000 cigarettes, pursuant to the provisions of the Tobacco Stocks and Standards Act approved January 14, 1929, and the amendments thereto passed in the 72nd and 74th Congress.

3/ Subject to revision. 4/ For explanation of stocks included in this classification see footnote 2 on page 7.

5/ Separate reporting of Mexican stocks was not required until October 1968. In previous quarters Mexican totals were included as other foreign-grown cigar-leaf.



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